and that the same be referred to the committee on ways, and means.

Mr. Carpenter, chairman of the committee on divorces made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Benjamin Flanigan, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced, from his wife Christiana, Flanigan.

Which was read the first and second time, by special or-

der, and concurred in.

Mr. Merrick submitted the following message, which was read, assented to, and sent to the Senate,

By the House of Delegates, March 10, 1836.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

An order having been adopted by this house on a former day, to hear at the bar of the house, the council for the memorialists who have prayed for indemnity, for losses sustained by the late riots in the City of Baltimore, on this day at 12 o'clock, we most respectfully invite your honorable body to attend in this hall at the hour designated above, to hear the arguments of said counsel.

By order,

G. G. Brewer, Clerk.

Mr. Dulany, seconded by two other members that voted in the majority, moved to reconsider the vote of the house upon the bill reported by him, entitled, an additional supplement to the act, entitled, an act concerning crimes and punishments;

Determined in the negative.

The said bill was then sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Burchenal the house took up for consideration, the bill reported by Mr. Pratt, chairman of the committee on internal improvement, entitled, a further supplement to an act, entitled, an act to incorporate the Delaware and Maryland Rail Road Company,

Mr. Ely moved to amend said bill by adding at the end

thereof, as an additional section, the following,

Sec. 7. And be it enacted, That nothing contained in the provisions of this act shall be construed to authorise the said Rail Road Company, to connect said road with the Baltimore and Port Deposite Rail Road, by means of Steam Boats plying across the Susquehanna river.

Which was read.

Mr. McCullough moved to lay said bill and amendment upon the table,

Determined in the negative.